

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C.

ORDER NO. 2854

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served May 7, 1986

Application of THOMAS A. PICKENS)
to Transfer Certificate No. 47 to)
P & T Transportation Co., Inc.)

Case No. AP-86-15

By Application filed April 30, 1986, Thomas A. Pickens, a sole proprietor trading as P. T. Transportation ("transferor"), seeks approval to transfer to P & T Transportation Co., Inc. ("transferee"), Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 47 issued to Mr. Pickens pursuant to Order No. 1749, served September 16, 1977. Transferee is a Delaware corporation established in May 1984 and registered to do business in the District of Columbia in March 1986. All of the shares of the corporation are owned by its president, Mr. Pickens.

Certificate No. 47 authorizes the following transportation:

IRREGULAR ROUTES:

SPECIAL OPERATIONS, round-trip or one-way, transporting persons confined to wheelchairs:

Between medical treatment facilities located in the Metropolitan District, on the one hand, and, on the other, points in the Metropolitan District.

RESTRICTIONS: The service authorized herein is restricted to the transportation of non-ambulatory participants in the Medicaid program of the District of Columbia, and is further restricted to transportation in van-type vehicles specially equipped with ramps and mechanical devices for securing wheelchairs in transit.

Simply put, Mr. Pickens now proposes to provide this service as a corporation rather than as a sole proprietor.

In support of the application, applicant transferor submitted its WMATC annual report for calendar 1985. However, that report does not contain the balance sheet and supporting schedules required for this transfer application, and we will direct that these be submitted.

Transferor will also be required to publish notice of this application, and a date will be established for the filing of protests, if any. Transferee will be made a party respondent.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

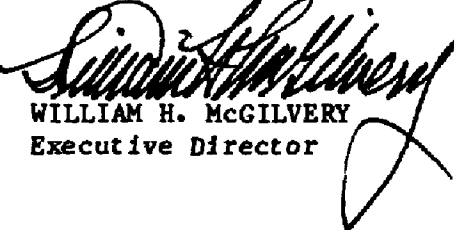
1. That P & T Transportation Co., Inc., is hereby made a party respondent to this case.

2. That Thomas A. Pickens is hereby directed to publish once, in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, notice of this application in a form prescribed by the staff of the Commission, no later than May 14, 1986.

3. That Thomas A. Pickens shall file with the Commission an affidavit of such publication and a current balance sheet and supporting schedules no later than May 30, 1986.

4. That any person desiring to protest this application shall file a protest in accordance with Commission Rule 14, and any person desiring a hearing on this matter, including the parties hereto, shall so notify the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission, 1625 I Street, N.W., #316, Washington, D.C. 20006, in writing, no later than May 30, 1986, and shall mail a copy to Thomas A. Pickens, 230 - 49th Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20019.

FOR THE COMMISSION:


WILLIAM H. MCGILVERY
Executive Director